ENGLAND SOMEWHAT UNBASY.

ALARMIST VIEWS OF THE ALLIANCE WITH JAPAN.

Will a Continuance of Russian Occupation of Manchuria Be Held to Be a Violation of Integrity of China?-Foreign Office Faith in Japan's Prudence

Special Cable Desputches to THE SUN. LONDON, Feb. 15 .- The Anglo-Japanes alliance continues to absorb the attention of Europe. Despite the pacific assurances in Parliament this great new factor in world politics oauses some uneasiness, if not apprehension, which has found its exin the depression in consols.

This feeling is emphasized by Lord Lansdowne's statement that Manchuria is to be regarded as a part of China under the terms of the treaty. Some alarmists argue therefore, that is within Japan's power at any moment to undertake to drive Russia from Manchuria and to compel Great Britain to take part in the controversy by including France in the quarrel.

The Spectator, which strongly condemns the treaty, is quite panicky on this point, saying: "If the continuance of the Russian occupation of Manchuria is held to constitute a violation of the integrity of China, then we are indeed plunged into a

The explanation sent from Tokio on Wednesday that Great Britain was virtually forced into an alliance by Marquis Ito's threatening to join Russia is now widely accepted as a fact. It must be admitted, however, that the treaty has received the general support of Great Britain despite its revolutionary character. This is a sufficient indication of the tremendous change in public sentiment in England in the past three years. The fact that an alliance has been accepted with Japan when steadfastly refused to Europe is highly significant.

This point receives an ugly emphasis when the Times uses this sinister language regarding it: "We can stand by Japan in the Far East without any thought of the Japanese interests in other quarters for none such in practice exist. This would not be the case, if, as our German neighbors insinuate, who should be the last to taunt us on that score, we had desired to secure a Continental sword which we might have obtained if we had been willing to trust others as we are willing to trust Japan." This, however, is only another illustration

of the bitter, almost fanatical animosity, now prevailing in both England and Germany against each other. The more closely the Far Eastern situation is examined in the light of the new conditions the less probable it seems that Russia will permit perself to be involved in a conflict over the mmediate consummation of any of her

It is Japan, whose new importance, unknown ambitions and Western civilization, still an experiment, are all elements of uncertainty, that is the cause of some uneasiness among conservative diplomatists. It can only be said that her discretion and self-restraint in some recent orises have been superior to those of her European

In the opinion of the British Foreign Department this peril is imaginary. Japanese diplomacy is prudent and patient, and it may be mentioned that Marquis Ito when he was here more than once de clared that Japan imperatively required twenty years of peace and security from outside attack to develop her prodigious resources in Formosa. At the end of that period she would be perfectly able to maintain a position of splendid isolation in the Far East as England has so long done in

VIENNA, Feb. 15 .- Letters received here from St. Petersburg show that the Russian Cabinet fully expected that the cooperation of the British and Japanese would eventually result in a treaty. It is a misapprehension it is said, to believe that the Manchurian Convention is opposed to the independence and integrity of China. The Anglo-Japanese alliance, however, will naturally cause Russia to do everything possible to be ready for all eventualities.

KING'S VISITS TO THE THEATRE

Invariably Increase Business-Titles for Actors and Writers?

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, Feb. 15.-The King and Queen and the Prince and Princess of Wales have been doing considerable theatre-going, displaying a catholic taste in their selection of plays. It has been noted that the visit of their Majesties to any theatre is invariably productive of increased advance bookings Consequently the managers have more than the mere compliment to appreciate. Yet even when the piece is a great success, which cannot reasonably hope to do better, a royal visit is eagerly coveted and one or two old established theatres are just now distinctly jealous that the King has not favored them, while the younger and especially the foreign houses have had the honor to be the first places of public amusement to be visited by the King after his year of mourning.

There has been considerable talk in connection with the coronation honors list that the King, who is more appreciative of literature and the drama than Queen Victoria was, will recognize both in the way of conferring titles on persons prominent in both professions. Charles Wyndham, Beerbohm Tree, Rudyard Kipling and Dr. Conan Doyle are spoken of as likely to be knighted. A well-known writer of a weekly literary review suggests this week that Anthony Hope has imperilled his chance by his frank references in "Mr. Pilkertons Peerage" to the modern political traffic in deco-

PLOT AGAINST THE SULTAN. Turkish Secretary of the Interior Arrested

Others Implicated. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

PARIS. Feb. 15 .- A despatch from Constantinople says Fouad Pasha, Secretary of the Interior, was arrested on Wednesday night and taken by Albanian soldiers to the Imperial yacht to be imprisoned at Damascus. The arrest of Fouad Pasha has had a bad effect in diplomatic and foreign circles.

It has been reported that a plot was discovered against the Sultan and that two of his aids and a number of courtiers were implicated in it.

Rear Admiral Sumner Salls.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Feb. 15.-Rear Admiral George Watson Sumner and his Flag Lieutenant. Adelbert Althouse, sailed from Southampton to-day on the steamship Nile for Montevideo. At the latter place Rear Admiral Sumner will take command of the American South Atlantic station, to which he was recently appointed.

Kaiser Distributes His Photographs. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. BERLIN, Feb. 15 .- The Kaiser has ordered that 1,000 of his photographs be distributed

among the German sailors.

HAVANA FREE OF YELLOW JACK.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
HAVANA, Feb. 15.—Major Gorgas, chief sanitary officer, in reviewing the health conditions of Havana for 1901, says the main feature of the year of course was yellow fever. General disinfection as carried out in other contagious diseases was extensively and faithfully tried, but with little or no effect. Then yellow fever sharply and suddenly disappeared after the introduction of the system of killing nfected mosquitoes, which was based on the theory that mosquitoes were the only

means of transmitting the disease. From Sept. 28, 1901, to Feb. 15, 1902, there has not been a case of yellow fever in Havana. This condition is remarkable. In the previous forty-five years sourcely a month passed without a death occurring from yellow fever. The maximum was in 1857 when 2,058 deaths occurred. The minimum was 51 in the year 1866. The average was 751. In 1901, the year the new system was inaugurated, there were only 18 deaths, 12 of which occurred before

the system was put into effect. Major Gorgas considers that this is pretty definite proof that yellow fever had been endemic in Havana since 1762. For the reasons given in the above statistics he considers that Havana has been purged of yellow fever by the killing of infected mosquitoes. This statement is most important, as yellow fever might at any time be introduced into the Southern States of America.

The general sanitary methods which have been introduced here by Americans have reduced the all-round mortality from

AGREEMENT ON TIENTSIN.

Provisional Government and Chinese Adopt a Customs Plan.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN PEKIN, Feb. 15.-The Japanese Guard went through special manœuvres in the presence of Gen Chung, Hu Yu Fen, Military Governor of Pekin, and other officers outside the city yesterday. An agreement has been reached between

the Imperial Customs Department and the provisional government at Tientsin in regard to the customs. This arrangement will be in operation until Tientsin is restored to the Chinese. Under the agreement ahout 700,000 taels annually will be handed over to the imperial ous-

toms at the port of Tientsin Duplicate receipts will be signed by Sir Robert Hart, Director of the Customs, and the officers of the provisional government. The provisional government will appropriate the balance of the Tientsin port receipts, which will aggregate from 100,000 to 300,000 taels annually.

REVOLUTION IN MOTIVE POWER. Epoch-Making Invention Reported From Germany-No Details Yet.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, Feb. 15 .- Assertions have been made in the press in the past few days that a new valve mechanism, which has been tested on the Great Northern Railway. will reduce coal consumption 40 per cent. and that a locomotive thus fitted and with 140 pounds of steam will do more work than an ordinary one with 210 pounds. The President of the road told the stockholders yesterday that its importance was

probably exaggerated. It may be added here that another invention which is really epoch-making was recently perfected and will be soon announced. It has been tested by the highest authorities who affirm that it will revolutionize the motive power of the world. It cannot be described now, but it comes from Germany.

BELGIANS LEASE FERNANDO PO? Said to Have Secured Spanish Island and Concessions in West Africa.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. BRUSSELS, Feb. 15.-Considerable of a ensation has been created in financial circles by the announcement that a group of Belgian financiers, headed by Col. Thys. one of the chief promoters of commercial enterprises in the Congo Free State, have leased the Island of Fernando Po and are further organizing a chartered company to occupy a concession in the Gaboon dis-trict between Rio Muni and Rio Campo.

ENGLISHMAN'S LOVE LETTERS

FOUR MILES LONG, SENT TO DOROTHY USNER.

metimes She Get Two a Day, She Says-Now the Writer Is Suing Her for \$838 for Money Loaned and \$500 for Pletures and Bric-a-Brac.

Unrequited love is given by Dorothy Usner, formerly an actress, as the reason why Maurice L. Reaves, an Englishman in the insurance business, is suing her for \$388 money loaned and for pictures and bric-a-brao valued at \$500. The trial is imminent in the Supreme Court and a few days ago Miss Usner's counsel, Moses H. Grossman, advertised for her. She was then out West, but she was at the office of Mr. Groseman yesterday.

She is now the wife of George Baxter. She says that when she and her mother took a flat at 152 West Eighty-fourth street in January, 1898, Reaves came there to board. She got a few small presents from him, worth about \$50 in the aggregate. She never got any such sordid thing as money, but declares that many long, burning love letters followed on her trail while she was travelling for several months. These ran, she says, sometimes to 3,000 words aplece, and sometimes she got two a day. Sh makes no counter claim for time spent reading them, but she asserts that she will offer some of them in evidence to indicate the animus of the action. She is sure that no court could keep out two of them, which she showed.

One of them began "Pure and Beautiful Little One," and after running out about 500 words more, warmed up with:

have been introduced here by Americans have reduced the all-round mortality from 21,252 in 1898 to 8,153 in 1899, 6,102 in 1900 and 5,720 in 1901. During the past thirty-one years the average death rate has been forty-one. In the year 1901 it was twenty-two.

The figures show that the hygienic conditions in Havana in 1899 were better than ever before, yet there were 510 deaths from yellow fever, in 1900. At the beginning of 1901 the prospects in regard to yellow fever were bad. There was a large non-immune population. Cases had occurred in all parts of the town. In January there were twenty-four cases and seven deaths, in February five deaths. Then Governor-General Wood determined that no precaution should be spared. He ordered that mosquitoes should be destroyed and this work was begun on the 1st of March.

In regard to tuberculosisthe report shows that it is about the same as in other cities. The death rate among negroes in Havana, however, is very high.

This probably will be the last time that an American army officer will sum up conditions. Therefore, it might be well to contrast a few more obtaining in Havana during the past year as against those before the beginning of the American occupation. the deaths were 5,720. In 1898 the deaths numbered 21,252. Smallpox was endemic in Havana at that time, whereas there has not been a case in the last was here has not been a case in the last friend for the other letter:

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occupation, the deaths were 5,720. In 1898 the deaths numbered 21,252. Smallpox was endemic in Havana at that time, whereas there has not been a case in the last eighteen months. Furthermore, yellow fever has been stamped out in its greatest stronghold.

DEATH OF COL. BENJ. F. POPE.

The Chief Surgeon of the Division of the Philippines Dies in Manila.

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Manila, Feb. 15.—Lieut.-Col. Benjamin F. Pope, Deputy Surgeon-General, U. S. A., died here last night.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Gen. Chaffee has cabled to the War Department reporting the death of Col. Benjamin F. Pope, Medical Department, in a hospital in Manila, the evening of Feb. 14. The cause of death was acute ursemia.

Col. Pope first entered the military service as Assistant Surgeon of the Tenth New York Heavy Artillery, July 18, 1894. He was made acting Assistant Surgeon in the Regular army in 1897, and promoted in the same year to First Lieutenant. From 1887 to 1886 he was in charge of the Record and Pension Division with the rank of Major. He was stationed in the Department of the East when the United States declared war on Spain, and was promoted to Lieutenant-Colonel and Chief Surgeon of Volunteers and ordered to Cuba. He was Chief Surgeon of the Pitth Army Corps at Santiago and returned to the United States in August with the troops going to Montak Point. From that time until last April he served in the Department of Che Lakes and the Department of Che Lakes and the Department of the Lakes and the Department of the Lakes and the Department of the Division of the Philippines and on Jan. 1 was promoted to be a Colonel.

AGREEMENT ON TIENTSIN.

ton and Miss Sibyl Erle were married here to-day. The bridegroom is the heir of Johnson, the hermit of Iathrisk. It was alleged recently that the will of the latter had been found sewn in an old silk dress and that it provided that the money should go elsewhere than to the bridegroom. The will was proved to be a forgery, the paper on which it was written being of more recent manufacture than that in use on the date

At to-day's wedding there were four bridesmaids. The great grandson of the Duke of Cambridge acted as page. The Duke of Cambridge acted as page. The couple will go to the United States on their

IT'S CHILD'S PLAY

To treat a woman for a disease year after year and give her no permanent relief. Yet that has been the case with scores

f women who have " doctored " for year after year healed, to find at last that a few bottles of Doctor Prescription would have saved

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equal Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

women well.

"About five years ago I had very poor health," writes Mrs. S. E. Whalen, of Holden, Johnson Co., Missouri, "After doctoring four years with our town doctors they gave my case up; said they had done all they could. I had been confined to my bed half my time; the other half could hardly drag around. I had such pains in my back and abdomen I could not stand for more than a few minutes. My feet were cold or burning, and my periods came too often. The doctors said it was change of life, so, as I had heard of Dr. Pierce's medicines, my husband got me a bottle of 'Favorite Prescription.' I took it and it helped me in some ways, so I wrote to you and followed your advice. I commenced 'Favorite Prescription,' Golden Medical Discovery' and the 'Pellets,' as I was so constipated all the time and pills would weaken me so that I would have to go to bed. To the great surprise of everybody I got well, and when I met my friends they would say, 'We never thought you would be here now,' But I can say it was your medicine, which no doubt is the best in the world. Have had no use for toctors since I tried your medicine."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure con-



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APPLE MARY WILL THROWN OUT

DRAFTED BY CONVICT. SIGNED "MRS. LEVI P. MORTON."

Left the Convict's Sister All Her Property

-Aged Cousins Contest It-The Surrogate Says It Has Not Even Been Proved That She Was Mrs. Morton. Probate of a will bearing the signature been executed by one of the "Apple Marys"

Mrs. Levi P. Morton," and alleged to have who sold fruit about the downtown public buildings prior to her disappearance in 1890, was refused by Surrogate Thomas yesterday. The will purported to have been executed on Dec. 31, 1887, and left all her estate to Miss Celia Haffner, now the wife of Henry Foskett of 440 Humboldt street, Brooklyn. The witnesses to the will were Patrick

Haffner, a saloonkeeper of Brooklyn, who has since died, father of the beneficiary, and his son, Jacob J. Haffner, who has served time in State's prison. The will was contested by Mary Murphy, 78 years old: Mary Moran, 80 years old, first cousins,

cousin. It had been reported that the alleged testatrix had hoarded about \$12,000, but only about \$5,000 has been found, and this is in savings banks.

Mrs. Foskett contended that the testord in this country one Levi P. Morton, and who, with two daughters was lost in the burning of the vessel Henry Clay off Forest Point near Yonkers on July 31, 1852. She was afterward in the grocery business on Catherine street, but for a number of years sold apples and candy about the lower of in winter and was variously called "Apple Mary" known about the Country Court House and Criminal Courts Building.

The "Apple Mary" of the will was acquainted with the Haffners. At the time of her disappearance she lived at 31 Willett street. It was said that in 1800 she was and thought to be anything more than coincidence. There was a good deal of interest in Wall Street in the initial deal fine the Broad street in the Stock of the Metropolitan Securities company, "when issued, "as well as in Metropolitan subscription rights. The first sale of the Securities stock was 100 shares at 110. Later another 100 shares sold at 118 and athin 100 at 120. The rights started at 6 and advanced rapidly, closing at 12, the company had an erratic course, but finally closed strong. It opened at 170 and ran up to 171½ soon after the opening. It then smashed down to 161½, but rallied and rose to 171½ just before the close, the last sale being made at 171½, or 1½ points above the closing price of Friday.

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street. It was said that in 1890 she started for Rome, N. Y., to see her friend, Mrs. John O'Hare, but never reached the resi-dence of Mrs. O'Hare, who has since died. The Haffners were not relatives and the will said that her property was left to "my sincere friend's daughter, Celia Haffner." Surrogate Thomas says:

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Surrogate Thomas says:

We have here a very peculiar document making a very peculiar disposition of the property of this old woman and the witness, a man who is the brother of the chief beneficiary and who has spent a very great portion of his life in State's prison. This old woman was a miser and it is said she made a will giving this young woman the entire fund accumulated by her which represented a life of hardship, a tale of miserly economy.

When I find that this man who drafted the paper and was its first subscribing witness will not deny that he had even been in State's prison before that time and admits very freely that he has spent at least ten years of his life since that time in State's prison, I must rest some part of the weig! of this decision on his testimony.

I can only say that I am not satisfied with all that testimony fresh in my mind that this old woman made this will. I, therefore, think it is my duty to refuse to probate this paper.

He says it was not shown that Apple Mary

ORGAN-GRINDER "EARL" LOSES. Hinton's Suit for the Poulett Title and Estates Dismissed.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
LONDON, Feb. 15.—Viscount Hinton, who used to play an organ in the streets of London and display a card stating his grievances against his father, Earl Poulett, brought an action in the Court of King's Bench to-day against his stepbrother, the present Earl Poulett, and the latter's mother o recover the family mansion and estates at Hinton St. George in Somersetshire. The defendants pleaded the terms of a settlement made in 1853, whereby the late Earl Poulett's family by his first wife were set aside. Lord Chief Justice Alverstone decided in favor of the defendants and the suit was dismissed.

The late Earl Poulett denied the legitimacy of the present claimant, but admitted that he was his father. Viscount Hinton was in receipt of an allowance until he reached manhood and according to his father had no claim on him as regards the title and estates. But the organ grinder always insisted that on his father's death he would make good his claim to legitimace. he would make good his claim to legitimacy. The settlement mentioned was made when the claimant was 4 years old and has been held by the family now in possession to dispose of his claim.

BRITISH MAIL ON SLOW SHIPS. English Merchants Again Complaining of Loss of Trade.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN LONDON, Feb. 15.-English merchants

BUT THAT IS ALL IN THE FUTURE, MR. VREELAND SAYS.

Meantime the Metropolitan Six Will Soon Operate 675 Miles of Street Railways From the Battery to Greenwich Conn. -Bids for the New Stocks.

ALBANY, Feb. 15 .- The Metropolitan Securities Company of New York, which is to take over the Metropolitan Street Railway, was incorporated to-day by the Secretary of State, with a capital of \$30,000,000. A certificate of increase of capital stock of the Interurban Street Railway Company of New York city, from \$500,000 to \$20,000,000, was also filed. The certificate is signed by Forsyth Wickes, chairman, and William J. Hannigan, Secretary of the meeting of stockholders of the company at which the increase was authorized.

The securities company paid a tax to the State on organization of \$15,000, and the Interurban Street Railway Company paid \$9,750 on the increase of its capital from \$500,000 to \$20,000,000.

H. H. Vreeland, President of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, did some further talking yesterday regarding the plan under which the Metropolitan Securities Company is to control by sole ownership of stock the Interurban Street Railway Company, to which latter company the Metropolitan Street Railway Company is to be lease i.

There have been," said Mr. Vreeland, a half dozen men who have stood together ever since the project of consolidating all the street railways in this city was broached. They are Messrs. Whitney, Widener, Elkins, Dolan, Ryan and myself. We have carried out so far every detail of the original plan, although I must confess that there have been times when none of us could conceive that the operations of the Metropolitan Traction Company would become so tremendous as they are to-day. With the acquirement by the Metropolitan Securities Company of the inter-urban railroads, the original half dozen men that I mentioned will be soon operating 675 miles of street rail-ways, from the Battery to Greenwich, Conn. The company, however, will not operate in conjunction with the Young syndicate of

Connecticut."

Mr. Vreeland made this statement as to the possibility of the Metropolitan interests gaining control of the subway lines:

"That is all in the future. It is just in the same state that our plans were when we were anxious to get the Third avenue and the Fourth avenue lines. On the Monday that we acquired the stock of the Third Avenue Railroad I really did not know until the stock market closed that know until the stock market closed that we had taken that road. When the plan was first broached to acquire the Fourth avenue road, people laughed at us and said: 'You never can wrest that from the Vanderbilts.' But we got it, and that is just the situation to-day with the tunnel project.

mr. Vreeland's statement served to strengthen the impression prevailing in many quarters that the Metropolitan interests have far-reaching plans for developing the traction facilities of the greater city. There was some comment on the fact that the Brooklyn Rapid Transit stockholders and those of the Metropolitan Company are to meet on the same day—March 20—but this was not thought to be anything more than coincidence. There was a good and of interest in Wall Street in the initial

Edward Lecky, the author of numerous publications on morals, rationalism and democracy, was to-day elected a foreign associate of the Academy of Moral Sciences. He received 26 votes against 6 cast for M. Movnier.

Three Indians Dead From Bad Drink. GUTHRIE, Oklahoma, Feb. 15. Ho-Ka-Sha, Hugh Miller and Allen Gibson, all Osage Indians under 30 years of age, made a painful journey from the Osage villages near Pawhusk, Oklahoma, to the happy near Pawhusk, Okiahoma, to the happy hunting grounds yesterday. The three, being unable to get whiskey, drank a mix-ture of wood alcohol, vanilla, cologne and Florida water and the concoction killed them. Miller was a graduate from the Haskell University and one of the best educated Indians in the West. Ho-Ka-Sha was the son of a chief was the son of a chief.

800 Mine Workers Locked Out for Punishment.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Feb. 15 .- The mine workers at the Harry E. and Forty Fort collieries of the Temple Iron and Coal Company have been locked out by the company. They remained away from work for day without permission and the lockout is to discipline them. They were paid off to-day. The company would not say when work will be resumed. About eight hundred men are affected.

Women Garment Workers Want Higher Wages.

The Executive Board of the Women Garment Workers International Union reported yesterday that a general movement is in contemplation among the women workers in the organization for higher wages. Strikes are to be avoided if possible in this city on account of the general movent to do away with strikes

TEETH AND FOOD.

A Help In Time of Need.

Sometimes bad teeth cause illness, particularly when they are not fit to masticate food. A man in Ada, O., had all of his teeth drawn. He was sick with indigestion and lack of vitality and his teeth were in a bad condition. He expected, with a new complete set of teeth, to regain his health by thoroughly chewing his food, but he had an experience that is well worth "Instead of improving I continued to

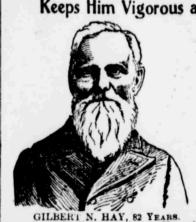
lose strength," he says, "until I was a mere moving skeleton. I tried a number of prepared foods but none of them helped me until I got Grape-Nuts. The flavor pleased my palate at once. I soaked the

London, Feb. 15.—English merchants are again complaining of the loss of money and trade caused by the delay in the transmission of the mails from Great Britain to the United States. Annually about this season they complain that the subsidized lines are consigning the postal matter in slow ships while the faster ones are lying idle or are repairing.

They suggest that the Post Office should advertise the fact when the slow subsidized steamers, such as the White Star liner Cymric, are sailing from Liverpool so that fast foreigners departing on the same day could take specially addressed letters at Southampton, but the demand is growing that the subsidized companies should be compelled to provide a uniform service of fast ships.

METROPOLITAN WANTS TUNNEL VIGOROUS AT 82 YEARS OF AGE.

Gilbert N. Hay, of Utica, Says Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey Keeps Him Vigorous and Strong at the Age of 82.



Up to a few years ago I was an invalid and scarcely knew what it was to be well for twenty-four hours. I had grown thin and could not sleep until my doctor prescribed Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. Since I have started to take your whiskey I have been perfectly strong and well and have gained thirty pounds. It not only acts as a stimulant and tonic for me, but it aids my digestion and makes my blood circulate faster, and it keeps me from catching cold. I will take Duffy's Malt Whiskey as long as I live, and it will be my only medicine. It is truly a God-send to old people and consumptives and those who are sickly. One druggist tried to sell me something that he said was "just as good as Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey," but I insisted that I wanted Duffy's and no other. It seems too bad that unreliable druggists will try to sell their customers begus goods when they know the customers' health depends on the medicine. Your whiskey has done so much for me that I feel it my duty was done so much for me that I feel it my duty has done so much for me that I

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CANADIAN SHINGLES COMING. | THEY'LL STOP BRIDGE CRUSH British Columbia Mills to Invade the

American Markets. VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 15.-Shingle mill owners are preparing to invade the American markets. The men here say the American mills can spare no shingles for western Canada and cannot supply their own markets owing to the wide prosperity in the States, making the demand very heavy. They need British Columbia cedar logs and the British Columbia Government prohibits export. On the strength of this all the shingle mills here are increasing their capacity. The Hastings Shingle Mil Company has started work on what it says will be the biggest mill in the world.

This mill will be erected on Vancouver harbor and will have a capacity of 1,250,000 harbor and will have a capacity of 1,220,000 shingles per day.

Every logger in British Columbia has signed a petition to the Government praying that the law prohibiting the export of cedar to the States be rescinded, as the rough cedar cannot be sold in British Columbia, but has a ready market on Puget Sound. Thus far the Government has turned a deaf ear to their entreaties. The Government believes that Puget Sound Government believes that Puget Sound mill men will be forced to establish mills here owing to the abundance of available cedar on this side of the line.

Admiral Crowninshield at Newport. NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 15.—Rear Admiral singer as he talked.

"No other plan has ever been presented," he said, "that can compare with this one. Each of the five elevated lines in Brooklyn Bureau of Navigation, paid an official visit to the Newport Naval Station to-day. visit to the Newport Naval Station to-day.

At the training station he was received with the salute due his rank. He inspected the tions in Manhattan on Third avenue and new quarters and the Marine barracks, and a battalion drill was given

in his honor. \$700,000 of Bullion for the Orient. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15 .- A half million dollars' worth of gold bullion and silver bullion valued at \$200,000 were carried by the steamer Doric, which sailed to-day for Hong Kong. The bullion is all confor Hong Kong. The bul signed to China and Japan.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAC-THIS DAT. Sun rises.... 6 53 | Sun sets... 5:86 | Moon sets... 1:40 HIGH WATER-TRIS DAT. Sandy Hook 1:35 | Gov. I'd .. 2:08 | Hell Gate .. 4:01

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LINDENTHAL, GREATSINGER AND GROUT EACH HAVE A PLAN.

Lindenthal Wants Endless Bridge Loop and Transfer in Brooklyn-Greatsinger Backs Centre Street Loop Grout's Plan Is 12 or 15 Loops

Bridge Commissioner Lindenthal, President Greatsinger and Comptroller Grout each gave out plans for the relief of the bridge crush yesterday. Commissioner Lindenthal's plan is a continuous loop by which a line of trolley cars may be run over the Bridge, transferring the passengers at the Brooklyn end to their respective lines. This plan involves besides a loop at the Brooklyn end of the Bridge, numerous terminal tracks on the Liberty street plaza. Mr. Lindenthal said the Corporation Counsel's office had the matter in hand and until the legal questions involved were

passed upon nothing could be done. President Greatsinger was enthusiastic over the Centre street loop. Plans showover the centre street loop. Plans show-ing the operation of trains and show-ing that 120,000 passengers could be handled each hour under the proposed system have been prepared and were before Mr. Great-

at the Division street station for the Second at the Division street station for the Second avenue elevated. The Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company is ready to do its share immediately and in seven or eight months the plan would be in operation. It is now up to the citizens of Brooklyn and the city officials to take action for the almost immediate relief of the present unfortunate conditions."

By this system one-half of the trains can go over the new bridge to the platforms at the Manhattan end of the Brooklyn Bridge, and instead of passing over the Bridge, and instead of passing over the Brooklyn Bridge, return over Bridge No. 2 and thence up Broadway to East New York and Jamaica. This movement of trains will divert the greatest number of people from the Brooklyn Bridge. In case of an accident on either bridge all trains can be sent over the other bridge.

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This diversion of through travel from the trolley cars to the elevated road will eradicate the present congested condition existing in the streets of Brooklyn. This will not only add comfort and speed, but great safety to the travelling public, the pedestrians and teams. In addition to the five ordinary schedules, at least three of the lines will have schedules for express the control of the process of the control of the c the lines will have schedules for express trains. By this proposed arrangement a train can be despatched from each bridge with ease every thirty seconds during rush hours, as against the present headway of fifty-five seconds on one bridge. The improved facilities will admit of running local bridge cars by trolley for the convenience of those who simply want to cross the bridge and relieve them of ascending and descending the stairways.

Comptroller Grout said yesterday that the plan of the Centre street loop involved.

the plan of the Centre street loop involved the building of an elevated structure. He believes that under the McCarren act He believes that under the McCarren act this would be unconstitutional.

"What is needed is a plan for londing and unloading passengers," he said yesterday.
"I expect to present a plan which will provide for twelve to fifteen loops at the terminal, a loop for every line. There is plenty of room for them. Passengers will be unloaded at one point and taken on at another. The crowds will know just where to go to get their car and no confusion will result."

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